

What is claimed is:

1. A fuel cell, comprising:
a body and a valve for releasing dispensable fluid from the body, the valve including a stem;
a unitary member secured to the body by its first end being fixedly secured to the stem, the member including a connector formed at a second end and a fluid conduit extending between the first and second ends, wherein the connector is adapted for sealingly engaging a dispensable fluid inlet.
2. The fuel cell of claim 1, wherein the stem extends parallel to a first axis and the fluid conduit extends parallel to the first axis.
3. The fuel cell of claim 1, wherein the connector includes an aperture that is circumscribed by a channel.
4. The fuel cell of claim 1, wherein the member first end approximates a conical section, the second end approximates a cylindrical section and the stem axis is both parallel and collinear with the axis of revolution for the first and second ends.
5. The fuel cell of claim 1, wherein the connector is a female fitting adapted for engaging a male inlet stem.
6. The fuel cell of claim 1, wherein the second end includes an outer flange and an inner flange spaced from, and circumscribed by the outer flange, the inner flange being adapted for engaging a fluid inlet stem.
7. The fuel cell of claim 5, in combination with a tool having a fluid inlet and the inlet including a male stem, wherein the female fitting is engaged with the male stem to thereby

provide a fluid tight seal.

8. A method for connecting a fuel cell to a tool having a dispensable fluid inlet, the fuel cell including a body containing a dispensable fluid, a stem and valve, wherein the valve is opened by depressing the stem, comprising the steps of:

providing a unitary adapter fixedly secured to an end of the stem, the adapter defining a fluid passageway extending between the stem and a connector formed at an end of the adapter;
and

engaging the dispensable fluid inlet with the connector whereupon engagement with the connector there is a fluid-tight seal formed between the fuel cell stem and dispensable fluid inlet.

9. The method of claim 8, wherein the engaging step includes inserting a male stem of the tool into an aperture of the connector.

10. The method of claim 9, wherein the inserting step includes press-fitting the male stem into the aperture.

11. The method of claim 10, wherein the press-fitting step includes forcibly inserting an end of the inlet stem beyond a ridge provided on the adapter.

12. A fuel cell, comprising:

a canister having a stem for expelling fluid from the canister; and
a unitary member that is integral with the stem and includes a conduit and connector formed therein, wherein the conduit is in fluid communication with the connector and the connector is adapted for sealingly engaging a dispensable fluid inlet.

13. The fuel cell of claim 12, wherein the conduit includes a first portion having a first diameter suited for sealingly engaging the stem, a second portion having a second diameter that

is less than the first diameter, and a third portion having a third diameter that is greater than the second diameter.

14. The fuel cell of claim 13, wherein the second diameter approximates a fluid exit diameter of the stem.

15. The fuel cell of claim 12, wherein the connector is a female connector.

16. The fuel cell of claim 15, wherein the female connector includes a hole surrounded by a flange.

17. The fuel cell of claim 16, wherein the flange includes a protuberance formed on an inner wall thereof.

18. A fuel cell, comprising:
a canister having a stem for expelling fluid from the canister; and
a means for securing the canister to a valve so as to establish a fluid-tight seal with the valve, the means being integral with the canister.

19. The fuel cell of claim 18, wherein the means includes a female interface.

20. The fuel cell of claim 18, wherein the means is a one-piece connector fixedly secured to the stem.